

The Paducah Sun.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair and not so warm tonight and Tuesday.

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LIVELY FIGHTING ABOUT MANCHURIA

Japanese Report They Occupy Several Additional Cities.

No Armistice and Nothing New in Regard to the Peace Negotiations.

RUSSIANS RECAPTURE TOWNS

Tokio, June 19.—The following report has been received from the Manchurian armies:

"In the Weiyanpaome district at 9 o'clock on the morning of June 16 three hundred of the enemy's cavalry advanced against Kuyushu, but were repulsed.

"In the Chamotu district our advanced force, after driving out the enemy stationed at Sumiencheng, occupied that village.

"In the Tasiamotun district our detachment, after dislodging the enemy's cavalry at Souhatzu, eight miles west of Sumiencheng, occupied that village.

"In the Kangpiu district at 1 o'clock on the morning of June 16, our center column completely occupied Liaoyangwopeng.

"Our right column, after driving the enemy's cavalry before it, occupied Lochuanpou, nine miles east of Liaoyangwopeng.

According to prisoners five thousand and cavalry with twenty guns forming part of Lieut. Gen. Mischenko's army occupied Lajoyangwopeng.

Our casualties were thirty killed and one hundred and eighty-five wounded.

Seventeen Arrests Made.

Odessa, Russia June 19.—Two more factories for making bombs and infernal machines have been discovered and seventeen arrests of men charged with being in the plot have been made by the police.

Shot a Police Officer.

Warsaw, June 19.—An attempt was made yesterday to assassinate a police officer while he was walking on the street. The shot fired at him inflicted a severe wound. The assassin escaped.

Still Getting Shipments.

Chefu, June 19.—Shipments of contraband of war for the Japanese continue to be made, particularly from Chefu to Dainy.

Russians Recapture Towns.

London, June 19.—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram company from St. Petersburg, says that news has reached there from Dodsliadan, Manchuria, saying that the Russians have recaptured Lalo Yang and Sumienchen, from which they were driven Friday by the Japanese.

TODAY'S MARKET

Wheat—	Open.	Close.
Sept.	.85	.83 1/2
July.	.88 1/2	.87 1/2
Corn—		
Sept.	.52 1/2	.52
July.	.54	.53 1/2
Oats—		
Sept.	.29 1/2	.29 1/2
July.	.31 1/2	.31
Pork—		
July.	12.72	12.67
Cotton—		
Dec.	8.98	8.84
July.	8.70	8.55
Aug.	8.78	8.62
Oct.	8.90	8.74
Stocks—		
I. C.	1.61	
L. & N.	1.45 1/2	1.45 1/2

Attorney Worten Takes Chain Gang Suits to The Federal Court for Trial

The suits against the city of Paducah for working prisoners on the streets to serve fines assessed in police court, will be taken to federal court.

Attorney J. M. Worten, who brought the suits in circuit court here and lost, this afternoon filed in the United States court here two suits against the city of Paducah, one for Eldred Stone for \$10,000 damages, and the other for Dennis Rowlett for \$10,000 damages.

The former suits for being worked

ALL ACQUITTED

In the Hargis Case On Trial at Jackson, Ky.

Jackson, Ky., June 19.—The most remarkable trial in the history of the courts in this state was brought to a close here Saturday afternoon when Magistrate Allen dismissed the warrants against James and Alex Hargis and B. F. French, charging them with the murder of James B. Marcum. The charges were brought by Mrs. Marcum. The Hargises and French were arrested in an effort to get the grand jury to take the matter up, but on the failure of Circuit Judge Riddle to order a special venire for the case, Mrs. Marcum refused to have it tried by a Breathitt county magistrate. On motion of the defendants Magistrate Allen had Mrs. Marcum and other witnesses summoned and permitted the defendants to submit Mrs. Marcum on the stand and place her to a series of questions from them. After hearing her testimony Allen placed each of the defendants on the stand and asked them if they were connected with the assassination of Marcum. Upon being answered in the negative, he ordered them dismissed. The case will be brought to the attention of the next grand jury by Mrs. Marcum and Commonwealth's Attorney Adams.

STATE TEACHERS

WILL MEET THIS WEEK AT MAMMOTH CAVE.

Supt. Leib Will Probably Go From Paducah—Other Teachers Talk of Going.

Several teachers will probably go to the state educational meeting at Mammoth Cave this week, but no one except Supt. Leib has definitely announced his intention of going.

Supt. Leib will have to attend the Walter Holland murder trial at Benton, but thinks he may be able to get off, and if he can will do so. There are seven or eight others from the local schools who contemplate attending, but will not decide until a later date.

Important questions will come before the Association which will meet June 21, 22, and 23. One of the most interesting will be the question of molding public opinion in favor of establishing state normal schools in Kentucky for the better training of teachers.

M. O. Winfrey, president of the association, has prepared a synopsis of the question to be considered as follows:

It will make an effort to mold public opinion in favor of certain educational reforms, the most important of which is the establishment of state normal schools in Kentucky for the better training of teachers.

It will on Thursday, June 23, suspend the work of the association and resolve itself into a mass convention for the organization of a citizens' conference, or "educational improvement commission," to be composed largely of representative citizens who are to take the lead in the matter of an educational awakening in Kentucky.

It has secured the services of the most noted educators in the United States to address the teachers and citizens who attend.

Every member and prospective member of the next general assembly has been invited to attend this meeting and to participate in the discussions relative to educational legislation.

The government of the state will be present and will address the teachers on the subject of better education in Kentucky.

ANOTHER CHANCE TO SETTLE STRIKE

The Outlook in Chicago is Now Not So Gloomy.

Effort Made to Lynch a Negro Yesterday But He Was Saved By Police.

OTHER ACTS OF VIOLENCE

Chicago, June 19.—It is freely predicted by both the members of the Employers' association and the labor leaders that the teamsters' strike, which has been in progress for over two months, will be a thing of the past before the end of the present week.

Efforts are now being made in two different directions to bring about an adjustment of the difficulty. According to one of the officials of the Chicago Federation of Labor the strike will be called off entirely by the strikers themselves. As a step toward this end, it was decided today at an executive meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor to begin missionary work tomorrow morning with members of the teamsters' joint council. The plan is to work on these officials and bring a majority of them in favor of calling off the strike.

Charles Tull, a colored man, and two companions, who arrived here from Iowa, were mistaken for strike breakers and while searching for a rooming house in the vicinity of 47th street and Ashland avenue and were attacked by a crowd of strike sympathizers. Tull's companions escaped uninjured but he was not so fortunate. After a long chase Tull was overtaken by his pursuers and when rescued by the police an effort was being made to lynch him. He had been beaten and kicked until he was unconscious. Tull was so seriously injured that he was taken to the county hospital where it was stated tonight that he had but little chance of recovery.

POISON BY MISTAKE

IS WHAT CHARLES GILLIAM IS ALLEGED TO HAVE TAKEN.

Dr. W. T. Graves Called and Soon Had the Patient Out of Danger.

Charles Gilliam, a ship carpenter employed at the Paducah Dry Docks Co., took an overdose of poison last night accidentally, but was not in danger very long. Dr. W. T. Graves was called and relieved the patient within a short time.

Gilliam came in about 9:30 to his lodging house at 718 Tennessee street and wrote a few notes. His room-mate noticed that he looked drowsy and pretty soon he fell over unconscious.

Dr. J. W. Pendley was called, but was unable to attend, and Dr. W. T. Graves went instead. He gave restoratives and soon had Gilliam all right again. Gilliam had taken the poison by mistake, it is said.

MRS. EDDY

Issues a Statement in Regard to Her Seclusion.

Concord, N. H., June 19.—Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, leader of the Christian Scientists, has issued a statement regarding her seclusion from the world, in which she says: "My seclusion is not on account of my age, but solely from a lack of time in which to accomplish what I do for humanity and have moments left to regale myself with the sweet intercourse of society. My first and evermore message one and eternal, and I shall remember it the years to come."

MILLER RESIGNS.

Assistant Secretary of the Interior Quits His Job.

Washington, D. C., June 19.—Melville W. Miller, of Lafayette, Ind., assistant secretary of the interior, has resigned, and will be succeeded July 1 by Jess Wilson, of Rensselaer, Ind. No reason is given but Wilson received his appointment in 1899, outside of political channels.

LOUIS BODENHEIMER IS BADLY BURNED

Explosion in Tailor Shop Causes a Furious Fire at 11 a. m.

Damage to the Shop, Sanford's Saloon, the Citizen's Bank and Lodge Room.

FULLY COVERED BY INSURANCE

A fierce fire which broke out from some unknown cause in the Louis Bodenheimer tailor shop over the Citizen's Savings bank at Third and Broadway this morning about 11 o'clock did considerable damage, gutting the tailor shop, damaging the hallway and the lodge rooms in the third story, and causing considerable damage to the Stanford saloon on the lower floor, and slight damage to the ceiling and walls of the Citizen's Savings bank, a total of \$2,000 or more.

Mr. Bodenheimer was severely burned from head to foot, and had a narrow escape. A boy named Iseman working for him, was also painfully burned, but not seriously so.

Mr. Bodenheimer does not know how the fire started. His pant maker had telephoned for some canvas, and Mr. Bodenheimer opened a small closet where he kept his stock to get what he wanted. He says that the instant he opened it there was an explosion and the whole room seemed to be filled with fire. Badly burned he rushed blindly about and Mr. Morris Friedman, who happened to be in the room when the explosion occurred, but managed to reach the hallway, assisted him as best he could, being unable to get inside for the flames.

The only way the unfortunate young man, suffering from the burns all over him, could finally get out of the room, by this time a mass of flames, was to roll out. Reaching the hallway he was taken into the office of Hummel Bros., at the Broadway end of the hall, and a physician was summoned.

In the meantime the flames spread rapidly and a fire alarm was turned in. The department seemed slow in getting there, and before it arrived the flames seethed out the windows and many thought the building was doomed.

The firemen, once they got the hose attached and the water on, had no trouble in putting out the fire, and in ten minutes the blaze was subdued, but tons of water added to the damage.

Mr. Bodenheimer's shop occupied the rear room in the second story. Underneath it is the Stanford saloon. Mr. Ed. R. Miller, tobacco inspector, and Hummel Bros., also have offices on the second floor, and in the third story is a colored Odd Fellows hall. The only damage by fire was to Mr. Bodenheimer's shop and the stairs leading into the third story.

Mr. Bodenheimer carries \$125 insurance, but a large quantity of clothing belonging to patrons that was there to be pressed, was burned. Water dripped through and did great damage to the Stanford saloon, the ceiling falling off and much of his goods being ruined. He carries \$1,200 insurance.

The only damage to the Citizen's bank was from water dripping down on the steel ceiling, some of it running down the walls. It is not thought the damage will be over \$50 to the bank.

The damage to the Odd Fellows' hall was practically nothing. The total damage to the building is probably \$1,000, fully covered by insurance. It belongs to the J. R. Smith estate.

Mr. Bodenheimer's injuries are very painful. The skin was burned from his face and hands and his hair was badly scorched, while his clothing was almost burned off him in places. Soon after he went into Mr. Hummel's office the smoke became so thick out in the hallway that the occupants of the office could not reach the stairs, and the fire department raised a ladder to the window for them to descend, but the flames were extinguished about this time and the precaution was unnecessary.

Mr. Bodenheimer was taken to his home, 537 South Fifth street, and although his burns are very painful, never lost consciousness. Drs. Reddick and Brothers attended him.

He says he does not know what

GEN. GOMEZ DEAD.

The Cuban Napoleon Goes to His Reward.

Havana, June 19.—Gen. Maximo Gomez died at 6 o'clock Saturday night from the liver trouble from which he had been suffering for some time, and which finally affected the heart last Thursday. He was not conscious when the end came.

When the general passed away, his wife and six children, President Palma, the secretary of government and some others were present. The body will be laid in state in the palace tomorrow. Only Friday the senate passed a bill to present him with \$100,000, and a check for that amount was delivered this morning by the secretary of finance to a son of the general.

Maximo Gomez, commander in chief of the Cuban army during the war for liberty against Spain and who won for himself the name of "Cuban Napoleon," was 82 years old. He was born in San Domingo in 1823, and was of good Spanish descent.

AHEAD OF TIME.

The Fast 20th Century Limited Reaches Its Destination.

New York, June 19.—The Twentieth Century limited, placed on an eighteen-hour schedule between Chicago and New York, arrived this morning three minutes ahead of the schedule time. The train could have covered the distance in shorter time had the officials permitted it to run ahead of the schedule. The speed was slightly over a mile a minute.

At Chicago Ahead of Time.

Chicago, June 19.—The Lake Shore Twentieth Century limited train from New York arrived this morning five minutes ahead of schedule time.

LOGAN C. MURRAY

Held Up and Robbed by a Footpad.

Louisville, Ky., June 19.—Logan C. Murray, president of the American National bank, and one of the best known financiers in the country, was held up by footpads near his home here last night after church and robbed of his gold watch and chain and a few dollars, all he had about him.

MURDERED HIS WIFE.

Buffalo Man Arrested and He Confesses His Crime.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 19.—Mrs. Katherine Vidao was brutally murdered this morning, and her husband is under arrest and confessed the crime. He crushed the woman's head with a hatchet, and mutilated her face. When arrested he was dripping with blood from wounds on his head inflicted with the hatchet.

ALL READY

For the President's Trip to Massachusetts Tomorrow.

Washington, D. C., June 19.—The program for the president's visit to Massachusetts has been arranged and all is in readiness for his departure tomorrow morning after the commencement exercises at Harvard. The president and party will visit Holy Cross College where the president will address the students.

\$100 Increase for Postmasters.

Washington, D. C., June 19.—One hundred dollars increase has been granted the postmasters at Pembroke and Sturgis, Ky.

caused the explosion. It is believed however, that it was the gas from the gasoline or cleaning mixture he used in his shop. It might have accumulated in the closet and been ignited by a match used in looking for the goods. Many people heard the explosion, but did not know what it was.

Capt. Joe Collins, of fire department No. 1, was badly cut on the left foot and both hands this morning at the fire.

He was putting a ladder up into the second story window when the glass began falling. Several pieces fell past him but one large piece struck his left foot, cut through the shoe and took out a big piece of flesh.

His hands were also cut, but the injury is not such that it will lay him off duty for any length of time.

Stationman Will Haffey was standing next to Capt. Collins and was struck on one hand but fortunately escaped being cut.

MANY BUILDINGS NEED NEW WIRING

Inspector Gilsdorf is Working Rapidly Near Broadway.

The Smaller Buildings too Numerous to Mention—Visits Factories Very Soon Now.

HAS JOINED THE ASSOCIATION.

Electrical Inspector Gilsdorf has become a regularly enrolled member of the Western Association of Electrical Inspectors which takes in city electricians, chiefs, underwriters and men doing this kind of work in the middle west, it being one of the biggest associations of the kind in the country.

Mr. Gilsdorf is an energetic worker and wants to have every advantage a man should have working in his line, and this is why he joined the association. It will help him in his work, assist him in keeping in line with his class of work in other cities and of the many improvements and discoveries being daily made.

Mr. Gilsdorf's work here is progressing nicely and he has already inspected most of the big concerns on Broadway. The following is a partial list of some of the principal buildings in which the wiring will have to be changed:

L. B. Ogilvie & Co., Rhodes-Burford Co., Brook Hill building, New Richmond Hotel, Hotel Lagomarsino, E. Rehkopf Co., DuBois, Kolb & Co., Paducah Ice Co., Covington Bros., B. Weille & Son, and the I. C. hospital.

There are numerous smaller buildings which have been condemned for bad wiring but these are too numerous to enumerate.

Inspector Gilsdorf intends to finish his work on and about Broadway before starting out on mills and manufacturing concerns. He states that merchants and every one accept the specifications for wiring and seem inclined to make what improvements necessary. A number of the buildings mentioned above have already made the changes ordered.

500 RUSSIANS KILLED BY AN EXPLOSION.

Ekatrinoslay, Southern Russia, June 19.—Five hundred persons were killed in an explosion which occurred at the Ivan colliery at Kharstisk, belonging to the Russian Donetz company.

35 Wounded by Cossacks.

Warsaw, June 19.—At Lodz yesterday while socialists were parading the city carrying red flags, Cossacks charged them.

The socialists met the attack with revolvers. Three were killed and thirty-five wounded. The disturbances were renewed this morning at Balutz and troops were called out and have completely surrounded the factory districts.

WILSON BACK.

His People Will Find the Horse or Pay For It.

Lyman Wilson, who disappeared with a horse and buggy belonging to Terrell Brothers a week ago, returned last night. The horse didn't return with him, but it is understood it is somewhere about Fulton. His father is going to look for it, and if it cannot be found, pay Mr. Terrell for the rig. There will be no prosecution.

MOTOR CYCLE BURGLAR.

Man Who Did Such a Good Business in Louisville Caught in Chicago.

Chicago, June 19.—Elliott Walker, the motor cycle burglar of Louisville, Ky., wanted there for robbing Colonel Henry Watterson's house and other residences of ten thousand dollars' worth of property is under arrest here.

\$200,000 LOSS

Lima, O., June 19.—Lightning struck and set fire to a tank containing 34,000 barrels of naphtha in the Solar refinery field this morning. The loss will exceed two hundred thousand dollars.